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For:	A SYSTEM FOR CONTACT SYSTEM BEYOND END-POINTS TO TRACK STATE AVAILABILITY AND CAPABILITIES BY IMPLEMENTING SIP PRESENCE TECHNOLOGIES	) ) )

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